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Ms. Mari Cantwell
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Dear Ms. Cantwell:

This letter is to inform you that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) has approved the evaluation designs for California Children's Services (CCS) and Seniors and Persons with Disabilities (SPD) authorized under the section 1115(a) demonstration entitled "Medi-Cal 2020" (11-W-00193/9), as submitted by the state and as modified through our discussions. Copies of the approved CCS and SPD evaluation designs are enclosed.

As a part of this approval, CMS requests that the state provide updates on the SPD evaluation design and the development of the performance measures in the SPD evaluation work plan during the monthly monitoring calls and within its quarterly demonstration monitoring reports.

We look forward to continuing to work with you and your staff on the Medi-Cal 2020 Demonstration. If you have any questions, please contact your project officer, Mrs. Heather Ross, at either 410-786-3666, or by email at Heather.Ross@cms.hhs.gov.

We appreciate your cooperation throughout the review process.

Sincerely,

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Angela D. Garner
Director
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Enclosures

cc: Henrietta Sam-Louie, ARA Region IX